

ASK RELATIVES OF PRESIDENT

Taft Invite Them to Be Present at Silver Wedding Celebration.

Washington, June 16.—Descendants of every President of the United States since 1801 have been invited to the silver wedding celebration which the President and Mrs. Taft will give at the White House June 18. Records of the White House and State Department have been carefully searched to find names of living blood relatives of all former Presidents, and the list is believed to be complete. The White House has appealed to George H. Cortelyou, "formal" secretary to Mr. McKinley, for the names of members of the McKinley family, who still are living, and invitations will be for-warded them with all possible expedition. Just how many of the invitations will be accepted is not known at the White House. Colonel and Mrs. Roosevelt will be unable to be present, but it is probable that members of the Roosevelt family will attend the reception Monday night.

Elaborate preparations have been made for the entertainment of probably the largest crowd that has ever been present at a function in the White House. The mansion itself will be lighted throughout with hundreds of electric lamps; the grounds in the rear will be made as nearly level as possible by the use of them; two bands will furnish music, and the fountain in the rear of the house will be played upon by a big search light, erected for the purpose. The State Dining Room will be the scene of a buffet luncheon, sufficient for thousands of people, will be served.

Members of the President's family and the family of Mrs. Taft already are beginning to reach Washington.

RETURNS VERDICT IN FOUR MINUTES

Jury Acquits H. B. Miller, Prominent Lunenburg Citizen, of Murder Charge.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Lunenburg, Va., June 16.—H. B. Miller, charged with the murder of a negro by the name of C. H. Buford, was acquitted at Lunenburg to-day, the jury bringing out only four minutes.

The trial of H. B. Miller, one of the most prominent citizens of this county, caused more interest than any case that has been docketed here since the famous Pollard murder case, several years ago. The attendance was unusually large, and among the spectators were some of the most prominent women in the county.

The Commonwealth was represented by C. T. Reeks, of Mecklenburg, who conducted the prosecution for Commonwealth's Attorney W. E. Nebbett, who was unable to attend. Mr. Reeks was assisted by R. T. Thorpe, of Norfolk, and the defendant was represented by Harry M. Smith, Lynch Montague and Ex-Governor Montague, of Richmond, and B. Bell and W. L. Oslin, of this county.

The testimony was concluded yesterday, when the jury retired and in five minutes returned a verdict of not guilty. The plea of the defendant was self-defense.

Each of the attorneys was allowed one and one-half hours for argument. People were present from all sections of the county, and the adjoining counties were represented. Those present were instructed by Judge Barksdale that no outbreak of any nature would be tolerated by the court, but when the verdict was rendered, the crowd, including the women, surged forward to where Mr. Miller was standing and congratulations were showered upon him.

Those comprising the jury were E. P. Wallace, foreman; W. P. Smith, E. A. Gauding, L. A. Flowers, J. M. Crymes, T. A. Love, L. Layne, W. T. Sanderlin, Walter Williams, W. H. Clark, J. L. Bruce and T. H. Duke.

H. B. Miller in October last, by the order of the Miller Manufacturing Company, of Richmond, went to Kenbridge to see the negro, Buford, to get from him a pair of mules, the property of the company. Buford refused to give up the mules, and this brought on a quarrel, which ended by Miller shooting Buford. Mr. Miller was brought before Judge Barksdale, where he was held for the following term of court.

Moody Acquitted.
Fletcher Moody, colored, indicted for felonious assault on Charles Mosley, was acquitted yesterday in the Hustings Court. He was charged with striking Mosley with an axe.

Stands for Orator
And all others proclaim,
That "Butter Nut" Bread
Is as good as it's name.

Nolde Brothers



Announcement

Announcement having been made of an incorporation of my business, desire to inform the public and my friends that the said incorporation has been abandoned, and that all probability will carry out my original plan regarding location, having acquired the property, Twenty-fifth and Marshall Streets, for that purpose, where I have located my business at 1505 East Main Street. Phone Madison 448. Residence, Twenty-fifth and Clay Streets. Phone Madison 975.

Chas. J. Billups

MIGHTY FLEET WILL ASSEMBLE IN JULY

It Will Be Most Powerful Armada Ever Brought Together in History of American Navy.

Washington, D. C., June 16.—Plans are under way for the assembling off Cape Cod in July of the largest battleship fleet ever brought together under the American flag. The fleet is to be composed of twenty-one battleships, ten armored cruisers, in long-range gunboats, auxiliaries, making the most formidable squadron in the navy's history.

The new fleet will be divided into five divisions and the flagship, comprising twenty-one battleships, six of which are dreadnoughts and four armored cruisers. In long-range gunboats will be nearly twice as powerful as its predecessor—which passes out of existence as an organization July 1—mounting 116 twelve-inch and sixteen ten-inch guns, as against eighty-four twelve-inchers in the old fleet.

Entirely of Dreadnoughts.
The addition of the two new and powerful Dreadnoughts, the Utah and Florida, now fitting out in the navy yards, makes it possible for the first time to form the first division entirely of Dreadnoughts. With forty-eight twelve-inch guns, that division alone contains more than one-third of the total strength of the fleet.

The new fleet will be led by the flagship, Connecticut, which held the same honor in the old fleet for several years. The first division will comprise the five Dreadnoughts—Utah, Florida, Delaware and North Dakota—each of 20,000 tons or more displacement, and the Michigan, of 16,000 tons. The sixth Dragoon, South Carolina, and the four 16,000-ton sisters—Louisiana, Kansas, Vermont and New Hampshire—will form the second division. In the third division are the four 15,000-ton sisters—Georgia, Nebraska, New Jersey and Wisconsin, and the smaller 12,500-ton Ohio.

The fourth division is made up of the Minnesota, 16,000 tons, as flagship; the Mississippi and Idaho, of 13,000 tons, and the two sisters, Maine and Missouri, of 12,500 tons each.

The fifth division comprises the four armored cruisers, Tennessee, Montana, North Carolina and Washington, sister ships, of 14,500 tons each.

Grews Will Total 20,000.
The total displacement of the fleet is nearly 400,000 tons, and to man all the ships requires more than 20,000 men besides the officers. The total number of guns carried is 1,435, and there will be seventy-eight underwater torpedo tubes.

In addition to the vessels mentioned, it is probably that when the summer maneuvers begin the fleet will be augmented by the three swift scout cruisers, Birmingham, Chester and Sten. Moore Hough, from her husband, Captain Frank P. W. Hough, United States Navy. The divorce was granted on the grounds of infidelity, and Mrs. Hough named Mrs. Helen M. Spanton, of Staten Island, N. Y., as the co-respondent. The divorce is awarded all the property in the sum of \$100,000. Both Dr. and Mrs. Hough are Virginians and are widely known in society circles of the army and navy.

Horae Dien of Appendicitis.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Hampden, Va., June 16.—Dr. J. H. Hough, a prominent physician, died in agony yesterday of appendicitis. A veterinarian cut into the horse to make an examination.

The appendix was a foot in length. The appendix is a very much like an enormous cucumber. Horse doctors pronounce the case a remarkable one.

Finish "Bath Tub" Case To-Day.
Argument by the defense in the case of the United States against the so-called "bath tub" trust, reported here yesterday afternoon, and to-day the prosecution will be heard in the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Maryland, now sitting in Richmond.

Argument for the defense was made by Attorney Herbert N. K. of New York City; Attorney William L. Marbury, of Baltimore, and Attorney Robert C. of New York.

The hearing will probably be completed to-day.

Seaboard Air Line Earnings.
Approximate gross earnings of the Seaboard Air Line for the first week in June, 1911, were \$7,121 as compared with the corresponding week last year.

THE WEATHER

Forecast: For Virginia—Unsettled, with occasional showers Saturday and Sunday; light to moderate, variable winds.

For North Carolina—Unsettled, occasional showers Saturday and Sunday; moderate, variable winds.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.	
Friday midnight temperature	71
8 A. M. temperature	66
12 noon temperature	67
Wind, direction	S. W.
Wind, velocity	6
Weather	Cloudy
12 noon temperature	66
3 P. M. temperature	65
Maximum temperature up to	65
Minimum temperature down to	55
P. M. temperature	56
Mean temperature	70
Normal temperature	75
Deficiency in temperature since	5
March 1	147
Accum. excess in temperature since January	11
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1	3.55
Accum. excess in rainfall since January 1	4.24

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.	
Place.	Temp.
Ablene	64 Clear
Asheville	78 84 Clear
Atlanta	92 96 Clear
Aurora	90 98 Clear
Baltimore	62 78 Clear
Boston	62 70 Cloudy
Buffalo	66 70 Clear
Chicago	66 68 P. cloudy
Cincinnati	76 82 Clear
Cleveland	66 86 Clear
Duluth	62 88 Clear
Galveston	72 86 Clear
Huron	72 76 Cloudy
Jacksonville	82 82 Clear
Kansas City	48 60 Cloudy
Knoxville	48 60 Cloudy
Louisville	80 82 Cloudy
Memphis	82 82 Clear
Mobile	84 92 Clear
Montreal	62 68 Clear
New Orleans	80 90 Clear
Norfolk	84 84 Cloudy
North Platte	62 78 Clear
Omaha	82 82 Clear
Raleigh	84 86 P. cloudy
Savannah	84 90 Clear
San Francisco	62 82 Clear
Spokane	86 92 Clear
St. Paul	66 68 Cloudy
Tampa	92 94 Clear
Washington	82 84 Clear
Wilmington	86 86 Clear
Wytheville	68 76 Clear

MINIATURE ALMANAC.	
Sun rises	4:40
Sun sets	7:31
Moon rises	12:00
Moon sets	7:50
Evening	7:50
Midnight	12:00

Let Us Be the Milkman For One Day—Tomorrow

Prove to yourself, by a one-day test, that no other milk in America begins to compare with Van Camp's. Do it tomorrow.



It is worth your while, Mrs. Housewife, to learn the facts about a perfect milk.

We brought to our dairies famous Swiss and Dutch experts. We have worked seven years on this milk problem, and spent \$100,000. As a result, you can now serve in your home as fine a milk as any served in Switzerland.

From Holstein Cows

Our model dairies are filled with Holstein cows. They are located in America's best dairying districts.

Close to each dairy we have built an aseptic plant. It is built without wood. The milk, fresh from the cows, is there placed in a vacuum. We remove from the milk two-thirds of the water by low-heat evaporation.

Nothing whatever is added to the milk. Nothing but water is taken out. That is removed to reduce the shipping bulk.

The milk is sterilized after the can is sealed. It comes to you exactly as fresh as the day that it came from the cow.

Van Camp Packing Co.
Indianapolis, Ind.



Thick as Cream

The milk is as thick as thick cream—so thick that you add one part water for coffee. It is 28 per cent solids—8 per cent butter fat.

Milk dishes made with it taste almost as though you had cooked with cream. For Van Camp's is whole milk. It has all the solids, all the butter fat, belonging to the richest milk.

Milkman's milk always separates in standing. The butter fat rises and the solids fall. The milk that comes to your cooking is rarely more than a half-milk.

When you make one milk dish with Van Camp's you will note the amazing difference. Never again will you wish to cook with any milk but this.

Utterly Germless

For table uses it is fine to know that Van Camp's is free from germs. It is absolutely sterile because it is pasteurized.

Milkman's milk is always germ-laden. Even the cleanest has myriads of germs lurking in every drop. There is always the risk of infection.

Think what it means to use a milk which you

know to be germless—a milk that is safe—a clean milk, produced under ideal conditions.

Never Run Short

One may buy of Van Camp's a month's supply at a time. There is never a shortage, never any waste. You have milk and cream for every purpose—all you want. It is like a cow in the pantry.

And this ideal milk—pure, rich and germless—costs less than milkman's milk. The saving comes in the cost of delivery. More than half the price charged you by the milkman goes to pay the cost of his daily rounds.

If you reduce Van Camp's to the usual milk richness the cost will figure about six cents per quart.

Can you think of a reason for buying raw milk when you can get such a milk as this?

The 16-oz. can—a full pint of Van Camp's—costs 10 cents. The 6-oz. can costs 5 cents. Evaporated and sealed at our dairies in six states. Order from your grocer.



Van Camp's Milk Evaporated—Sterilized—Unsweetened

News of South Richmond GEORGIANS DRIVE CAR TO RICHMOND

South Richmond Bureau.
The Times-Dispatch.
Phone Madison 175.
"Let us get what we are paying for," was the slogan of the South Richmond Citizens' Association, which held a mass-meeting of the Oak Grove Citizens' Association, after the report of the investigating committee was delivered and the condition of the district schools made plain. The committee reported two suitable places for the school, between five and six acres, valued at \$5,000, and five acres of land, also a part of the Oak Grove property, valued at \$1,500. It was the opinion of the committee that the school should be willing to purchase the Oak Grove property, in view of the fact that the sum of \$1,500 was given by the board for the site of the Swanton School. According to the rough statistics read last night by the committee Oak Grove has taxable property amounting to \$100,000, which yields a school tax of \$2,000. In addition the Board of Supervisors votes a yearly appropriation of \$10,000 for the school. The district actually receives about \$1,500. The sentiment of the meeting seemed strongly in favor of asking the board for a larger appropriation instead of asking for an increased school taxation in the district. It was made very evident that some barked at the meeting about \$1,500. The district actually receives about \$1,500. The sentiment of the meeting seemed strongly in favor of asking the board for a larger appropriation instead of asking for an increased school taxation in the district. It was made very evident that some barked at the meeting about \$1,500. The district actually receives about \$1,500.

The meeting adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman, which will be after the fourth Monday of this month, when the Board of Supervisors meets and the investigating committee has an opportunity to appear and present the case of the district. A short shrift was given to the speed maniacs who appeared in Magistrate Cheatham's Oak Grove court yesterday morning. Thomas Scott of Richmond, reported speeding by County Officer Jarrell, and Moses Thalhimer, also of Richmond, reported speeding by County Officer Jarrell. They were fined \$10 and costs each and given a warning from the magistrate. Since the activity of the police officers on the roads leading out of Richmond on the north has made that section a costly place to try the motor's speed the Richmond windburners have been arrested and the Chesterfield officers promptly retaliated by beginning a most successful crusade. The county authorities have issued notice that they will use every means in their power to confine the speed of automobiles in the county to a reasonable rate.

Dr. H. L. Harris, colored, who refused to obey the order of a conductor on the Petersburg car line, was fined \$5 and costs. Dr. H. L. Harris, colored, arrested on charge of assault, was discharged after payment of the costs.

George Longwell Arrested.
George Longwell, a white man, about thirty-five years old, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Westcott, of the Third Police Station, on a warrant sworn out by J. H. Creigh, charging Longwell with cursing and abusing him. While he was still in the "cooler" another warrant was served on him by Patrolman Waymack, in which his wife, Mrs. Helen Longwell, charged him with cursing and abusing her. In addition, Mrs. Longwell claims that he has failed to support her and her children.

"Squire Willard to Sit.
In the absence of Police Justice H. A. Maurice in the newly-created "Squire J. T. Willard" will sit in his place on the bench of the Police Court, Part 2, this morning. "Squire Willard, who is a well-known social drinker and ice-cream at the corner of Twelfth and Third Streets, was arrested by the police for drinking and eating in the street. In addition, Mrs. Longwell claims that he has failed to support her and her children.

Willie Hudson, colored, alias "Prudence," arrested Thursday afternoon by Patrolman Westcott, was charged with cursing and abusing him. While he was still in the "cooler" another warrant was served on him by Patrolman Waymack, in which his wife, Mrs. Helen Longwell, charged him with cursing and abusing her. In addition, Mrs. Longwell claims that he has failed to support her and her children.

The funeral of Marion Estelle Childers, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Childers, who died early yesterday morning at the home of her parents, 127 East Thirtieth Street, was conducted by Rev. G. T. Forrester this morning at 10 o'clock from the residence. The interment will be in Maury Cemetery.

The regular June session of the Hustings Court, Part 2, will convene Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the court room, Judge E. H. Wells presiding. All attorneys who have cases to be heard at this term may appear at the court on Monday morning. Only one criminal case is scheduled for trial at this term, and there is a possibility that this may be continued on account of the fact that this is an off-year term.

Back from Convention.
With the adjournment of the Easter convention yesterday the numerous Southern Methodist Sunday schools in the city returned to the State organization are returning. Postmaster Thomas Smith, who is a member of the State organization, was present at all the sessions of the convention, will remain in the city for ten days. John Moore, also a member of the State organization, Melvin Ely and George Blankenship, delegates from Stonewall Jackson, Va., Improved Order of Eagles, will arrive home either to-day or tomorrow.

Funeral of Mrs. Mathews.
The funeral of Mrs. C. B. Mathews, wife of Mounted Officer C. B. Mathews, of the Police Department, who died Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. P. Pridmore, in Gordonsville, took place yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock from St. Patrick's Church. The interment was made in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Mathews had been in a precarious condition for some weeks, and twice Officer Mathews was called to Gordonsville in fear of her sudden death. He accompanied the remains to this city Thursday. She was a daughter of Mrs. S. C. C. and a cross of honor as a veteran member of the Fifth Virginia Regiment.

Personal and General.
Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Harris will leave the city Sunday for a visit in Roanoke. The regular monthly meeting of the officers and teachers of the Deafmuter Street Methodist Sunday school was held Thursday night at the residence of C. E. Walhall, of 700 Hull Street.

The pupils of Miss Male Criddle's music school, appearing in their annual recital last night in the Stockton Street Baptist Church, offered an unusually good selection of music to those who were present. Many of the parents and friends of the girls performing were seated in the audience, and the scholars were given small ovations.

Unless the first half of the city taxes, personal and realty, are settled by end of June, Assistant City Collector J. P. Robinson has given notice that 5 per cent will be added to the amount of the bill. The bills are payable between June 15 and 30.

The home of Mrs. W. A. Horner, at Broad River Farm, was the scene last night of a beautiful lawn party, given by the women of the West End Church.

A lawn party for the benefit of the Sunday school of the Porter Street Presbyterian Church was given last night at 8 o'clock on the lawn of the church.

New South Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, held its regular weekly meeting last night at 8 o'clock in the Odd-Fellows Hall.

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The reason for the trip will also be made by way of Richmond in the same car. Governor Mann had been notified in advance of the coming of the Georgia party. In Washington special entertainment will be provided by Senator Bacon, of Georgia, and Senator Ransome, of Florida, following the appointment at the White House this afternoon.

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Official Route Northern Baptists

R. F. & P. and Baltimore & Ohio R. R.
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